

What's in the Bag

Kitten Go-Home Pack Breakdown

Bringing a kitten into a new home is a big transition. New environments, new people, new smells, and new routines can all be overwhelming at first. The goal of this go-home pack is to reduce that stress as much as possible while providing practical tools, clear documentation, and educational resources to support your kitten's comfort, health, and long-term success.

Every item included — both physical supplies and paperwork — has been selected intentionally. Together, they provide consistency during the adjustment period, reliable records for your files, and helpful guidance for daily care.

Included Paperwork, Records & Care Guides

Along with your kitten, you will receive the following documents and educational materials:

- **Contract**
Outlines placement terms, responsibilities, and expectations for both parties.
- **Registration Papers**
Official registration documentation, if applicable, or instructions on how to complete registration.
- **Microchip Enrollment Form**
Information needed to register your kitten's microchip in your name to ensure permanent identification.
- **Trupanion Insurance Enrollment Form**
Provides access to the introductory insurance period and instructions for activation.
- **Veterinary Paperwork**
Includes vaccination records, deworming history, and any relevant medical notes for your veterinarian.
- **Tips for Introducing Your New Cat to Your Home**
Guidance on safe introductions, creating a calm transition space, and helping your kitten adjust confidently to their new environment.
- **Care & Wellness Information**
Includes feeding guidance, grooming and nail care tips, and general care recommendations to support your kitten during the first weeks at home.

We recommend keeping all paperwork together in a safe place and bringing the veterinary records with you to your kitten's first veterinary visit.

What Else Is Included

In addition to the paperwork and care guides above, your kitten's go-home pack includes thoughtfully selected physical items designed to ease the transition and support comfort, enrichment, and health. A detailed explanation of these items and their purpose can be found on the reverse side of this handout.

BONUS ITEMS

What's Included & Why

Carrier

A carrier is included for safety and familiarity. Every household should have one carrier per cat in case of emergencies such as fires, evacuations, or urgent veterinary visits. Having a carrier that is already accessible and ready to go is critical.

Carriers from a new home often smell unfamiliar, which can increase stress. Providing a carrier your kitten already knows allows them to travel in a familiar, secure space, helping make the transition calmer and less overwhelming.

Blanket / Bed

A familiar blanket or bed provides comfort during the adjustment period. Carrying the scent of your kitten and their early environment, it helps reduce stress and encourages normal eating, sleeping, and exploration behaviors. We recommend keeping this item with your kitten for the first few weeks before transitioning to new bedding.

Sample Toy Bundle

A small assortment of toys is included to help identify your kitten's play preferences. This may include crinkle toys, catnip toys, and plush toys. Offering variety allows you to learn what your kitten enjoys without purchasing multiple toys that may go unused, while supporting healthy play and mental stimulation.

Cat Treat Trail Mix

Treat preferences vary widely between cats, and treats can be costly. A small variety is included so you can determine which textures and flavors your kitten enjoys without purchasing multiple full-size products.

Cat Lickable Treats

Lickable treats are included as a staple item, as most cats find them highly appealing. They are helpful for bonding with nervous kittens and serve as a low-stress tool if medication is ever needed, whether to hide pills or as a chaser for liquid medication.

Probiotics

Stress can affect digestion, sometimes causing loose stools or constipation. Probiotics help support gut balance, digestive health, and immune function, especially during transitions or food changes.

Nail Clippers

Nail clippers are included as they are often overlooked when preparing for a new kitten. This style was selected for ease of use, control, and safety, helping establish a low-stress grooming routine early on.

Food

The food your cat is currently eating is included to maintain consistency during the transition. Unused canned food should be covered and refrigerated between meals.

Safety reminder: Always crush empty cans before disposal and never leave open cans unattended. Cats can easily get their heads stuck in can openings, which can result in serious injury or suffocation.

Coupons

Coupons for a variety of brands are included to encourage dietary flexibility. Exposure to different foods can help build digestive tolerance and make future transitions easier if a food becomes unavailable. Coupons also allow you to explore alternatives at a reduced cost if your cat's preferences change.

Each item in this go-home pack was selected to support comfort, health, and a smooth transition into your home.